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Is our starter for the New Year. For the next ten days some of the greatest bargains ever known will be offered. First impressions are always the best. During the entire week enormous reductions will be made to popularize the house, and to bring our new arrangement prominently before the public.

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22 pieces of 44-inch "beau cloth," striped as worth $2.25 per yard and sold here in town by a "cheap dry goods store" at $1 yard, will be surprised at 55c.

31 pieces all silk-faced colored brocaded velvets, 24 to 26 inches wide, sold by us for $2.25, to close out at $1, are surprised for this week at $1.75.

28 pieces of plaid all-wool dress goods, 6 inches wide, sold all over town at 75c, will be surprised at 35c.

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THE WEATHER.

SIGNAL SERVICE INDICATIONS.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26—5 p. m.—Indications for succeeding thirty-two hours: Portland, cloudy weather, and rain; high southerly winds and gales along the coast. Southern California, generally fair weather.

Cautionary signals are displayed along the coast from San Francisco to the Straits of Juan de Fuca.

LOCAL BULLETIN.

LOS ANGELES SIGNAL OFFICE, Jan. 26.—Reports to-day the thermometer registered at 10:07 p. m. 61, and at 7:07 p. m. 55. Mean for corresponding periods, 50.11. Maximum temperature, 65.5; minimum, 33.3. Weather at 8:07 p. m., clear.

The Times.

Temple, Main and New High.

LOCOMOTION crossing at Spring and Temple is threatened. It would not pay pedestrians cross.

The English Government has gone to the wall on a vote to amend the address of the Crown.

The Southern Pacific Railroad corporation is getting a thorough freezing in Washington.

A HUNDRED-FOOT spans for the bridge crossing the river are considered by practical men as quite narrow for the purpose. Colonel Baker and others favor suspension bridges.

Don Romero said in Council yesterday that he was tired of having dirty streets "flung in his face." We don't say so! It's nawsty to throw mud in that extent.

In the proposition for a union street-car and city bridge to East Los Angeles, the Council committee having the matter in charge has been granted further time to report.

Tombstone is not overawed by the English navy (and she doesn't seem to make any yet), there will be a war in mid Greece, Turkey and England will probably be the scrappe others of the allied Powers taking a hand.

The Council "want to know, you know," about the Mayor's able Clerk who gets $75 a month salary, which he pays with monotonous regularity, work or no work. The Council's yearning information is not to be wondered at under the circumstances.

YESTERDAY the committee from the Board of Trade, consisting of Messrs. Hazard, Gibson, Wicks and Bonebrake, appeared in the Council Chamber and stated the case as to the river and its urgent needs. The Board of Works and the City Attorney volunteered to co-operate with the Board of Citizens' Committees.

CHIEF BRADLEY has reported to the Council that his water-works supplied, in July, 1885, water to 566 houses, at an income of $21,913.56, while the repairs were but $17,588.74, and the extraordinary improvements amounted to $3,988.56. Mr. Beaudry objects to the Council regulating his rates (an old song), and wants to sell his works to the city. The time will come when the city will have to cover the hills to be supplied with a water system of its own.

CHAIRMAN STEARNS shows a commendable disposition to pursue City Tax Collector Pargels and camp on his trail until he explains how it is that he has been drawing some $3000 a year in addition to the $3000 annual compensation allowed him by law. The rather startling figures appear in another part of to-day's TIMES. The Council appears sympathize with Mr. Stearns in his efforts to obtain information on the matter, and free question, as it affects the City Tax Collector's office. Mr. Stearns is a Democrat.

The paving question being before the Council yesterday, Major Jones suggested the employment of a competent board of engineers to report the best available system of paving. Mr. Gaylord asserted that six hundred dollars had left the city within one or five days in consequence of our muddy streets. Other members favored the appointment of a committee of two upon citizens to secure their cooperation in the work of paving; and the opinion was expressed that two-thirds of the property-owners concerned would be found willin'. No action was taken in the matter, however. All the same, it is a burning question—or would be if it were not so deeply, darkly damp.

CORONER yesterday elected Walter S. Moore Chief Engineer and Fire Marshal of Los Angeles, under the paid fire department ordinance. Walter has paid more attention to the fire department, probably, than any other man in the city, and when at its head always managed to keep its discordant elements in hand. His home is at a convenient distance from the center of the city, so he keeps with the telephone connected into one ear, and with one hand on the door-knob; and it is generally understood that one of the first figures to appear at any fire is that of the mighty Fifth Warder, on a foaming steed, robed in a linen garment, a pair of bloomers and a "ping" hat. He is a rocker, and may be expected to run with the machine for all that is out.

The Board of Public Works yesterday reported favorably to the Council on the application of the Main-street Railroad Company for a franchise to extend said road from Washington to Jefferson, and from Jefferson to Figueroa street, the road to be built within one year, and the franchise to run to September, 1908. The company also desires the privilege of laying another track on Main, from First to Washington. Objections to a double track exist, and should be considered before the franchise sought is granted. Others have some rights which cannot be infringed by the street railroad corporation. So the Council seemed, to judge, for it declined to adopt the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, and sent the applications to the Committee of the Whole.

A Sacramento dispatch to the New York Times says that more nine-tenths of the citizens of the Chesapeake, Ohio and Southwestern have given their consent to the proposed lease to the Queen New and Mississippi Valley Company, under which name and organization it is intended to consolidate and operate the lines of Huntington's railroads and the system of roads, if no opposition is shown. The mileage of the roads to be embraced under the new company will be about 2500, while that owned by the Southern Pacific system is about 3900, an unbroken line from ocean to ocean, divided into two systems. This is a grand accomplishment for three men in less than twenty years. These men are C. P. Huntington, Charles Crocker and Leland Stanford, who began with the a d of Sutter.

CONGRESS.

Memorial Services for Vice President Hendricks

INQUIRY AS TO THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

Some Bills of Importance Introduced—A Silver Measure by a Representative From New York.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—This being the day appointed for the Senate to be addressed in memory of the late Vice-President Hendricks, the galleries of the Senate began to fill at an early hour. When, therefore, at noon Sherman called the Senate to order, all seats in the galleries were occupied, a large proportion of the occupants being ladies. Voorhees then called up his resolution expressive of the Senate's deep sense of public loss in the death of the late Vice-President. Voorhees delivered a glowing eulogy on the private and public career of the deceased. After hearing the speeches of Messrs. Voorhees, Hampton, Sherman, Salisbury, Evarts, Ransom, Spooner, Vest and Harrison, the Senate adopted a consequent resolution and adjourned.

House of Representatives.

Pursuant to an order of the House made yesterday, the Speaker proceeded to call the States, under which call the following bills were introduced and referred:

By Mr. Townshend—Proposing a constitutional amendment providing that the President and Vice-President shall be elected by a majority of the people, abolishing the electoral college and the regular method of counting votes by the two houses of Congress.

By Mr. Throckmorton, of Texas; a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Interior for copies of any and all contracts or leases which are to be found on file in his office between the Southern Pacific Railroad company and any railroad to which land grants have been made or which have received bonds from the United States; also for a copy of the charter of the Southern Pacific railroad, and also for copies of any contract on file between the Pacific Mail Steamship company and any of the subsidized roads.

In the morning hour, Mr. Thomas, of Illinois, on behalf of the Committee on Naval Affairs, called up the bill authorizing the voluntary retirement of certain officers of the navy who have rendered conspicuous service in battle or served thirty years in the navy. Mr. Thomas explained that the bill would benefit those men who were known as gunners, sailmakers, etc., who, though having performed meritorious service, have never received any advancement. It would, he believed, benefit the navy, because it would result in removing from the way of promotion officers who were known as "deadwood"—who held high rank but were incapable of performing their duties. The bill had been introduced for the purpose of relieving the present stagnant condition of the navy and bringing to the front some active men who have had the advantage of a modern education. The tide of promotion should be started in order that the best men in the service might not quit in disgust, after having been consigned ten, fifteen or fifteen years.

Mr. Reagan, of Texas, opposed the bill, as adding another class to the American aristocracy, to be fed and clothed by the labor of other men. This country had gone far enough on the road towards establishing an American aristocracy.

Mr. Thomas inquired what the gentleman would do with the retired list of the army and navy.

Reagan replied that we would repeal those laws un-American and un-republican laws, and leave the officers to work for their living like other men. He would have no man live on the work of other men in this country, claiming to be a free constitutional Republic. If he could succeed in preventing the spread of this evil, he would congratulate himself that he would not have to secure the repeal of retirement laws. Pending action, the morning hour expired and the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON.

A Silver Bill From a New York Congressman.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Congressman Swinburne's bill, introduced to-day, directs the Secretary of the Treasury to buy $4,000,000 worth of bullion monthly and to coin $6,000,000 worth of fractional currency every month. Swinburne is a prominent Republican of New York. The anti-silver members of the Empire State express surprise at his action, which shows that he is not allied to Wall street. Swinburne was a prominent candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor in the last State convention.

THE RAILROAD TAX CASES.

In the Supreme Court to-day, what are known as the California railroad tax cases came up for argument. The chief grounds alleged by the corporations as the reasons for escaping taxation are that the revenue system adopted by the Constitution of California is, as to them, in violation of the Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States, because, first, it deprives them of their property without due process of law, and, secondly, it deprives them of equal protection of the laws. The argument will be continued to-morrow. The attorneys for the railroad company are Senators Edmunds and Evarts and Judge Sanderson. The other side is represented by Mr. Marshall, Attorney-General of California; Judge Rhodes and Mr. Delmas, of San Francisco.

THE LAUNDRY QUESTION.

The House Committee on Lands today heard a long argument by ex-Senator McDonald, of Indiana, against the pending proposition to donate forfeited to the land grant of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company. At the conclusion of the argument the committee went into secret session, and the matter was debated at length. Mr. Peters, of Kansas, moved that the entire land grant be declared forfeited, and Mr. Strait, of Minnesota, proposed to amend the motion so as to include within the forfeiture only such lands as are opposite unconstructed portions of the road. Pending debate the committee rose, and the matter was made a special order for Monday next, after arguments on the proposition to declare forfeited the Atlantic and Pacific land grant shall have been heard.

EUSTIS'S SILVER BILL.

Eustis's resolution, declaring it to be the opinion of Congress that bonds payable on the 1st of February should be paid in silver, was not taken up by the Finance Committee to-day. The next regular committee meeting does not take place until next Tuesday, therefore there is no prospect of speedy action by Congress.

A STRONG BILL FOR SILVER.

The bill was introduced in the House to-day by Mr. Swinburne, of New York, declaring the silver dollar a legal tender. It makes all standard silver dollars heretofore coined legal tender, and directs the Secretary of the Treasury to recognize the coined silver dollar of 412½ grains as equal in value to the gold dollar in payment of all claims against or due the government.

CABINET MEETING.

The Cabinet meeting to-day was attended by all members except the Postmaster General, who is suffering from a cold. The session lasted about three hours, the principal part of which time was devoted to considering the action of the Senate in executive session yesterday, in making a formal demand of the Attorney General for copies of all papers in his department relating to the recent change in the office of United States Attorney for the southern district of Alabama. A general discussion ensued and showed slight division of sentiment as to the proper policy to be pursued by the President in this particular. The case is generally regarded as an issue, action on which will necessarily establish a precedent. No action was had on the general proposition of compliance or non-compliance with the wishes of the Senate, and the exact form of answer to be made to the communication from the Senate was kept open for further consideration.

SAN FRANCISCO.

McCarthy's Defalcation Lessening—Traces of the Murderer.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—One of the most serious charges brought against United States Consul Greenbaum at Apia, Samoa, in the petition to Secretary Bayard, which asks for his removal, is contained in the affidavit of a Chinese merchant, Ah Sue, who swears that Mr. Greenbaum tried to make arrangements with him whereby Chinese would be brought from China to Samoa, and furnished with certificates there which would permit them to enter the United States. Each Chinaman was to be charged $100, and this amount equally divided between Ah Sue and Greenbaum.

TRACES OF THE MURDERER.

I. G. Wickersham, the Petaluma banker, came to the city this morning to confer with the police authorities in regard to the detection of the murderer of his nephew and wife at their residence near Skaag's Springs. From information received, it has been decided beyond a doubt that the murderer left for China Wednesday morning. A cablegram will be sent to Yokohama and the murderer will probably be arrested at that place. There now remains no doubt as to the Chinaman being the murderer, as he called at a washhouse at Cloverdale, early Tuesday morning, where his uncle was employed, and, when questioned as to the cause of his appearance, told his uncle that he had killed his boss. This was told by the uncle to another Chinaman who furnished the statement to the police here. Ang Tin Duck is the true name of the murderer.

THE LAUNDRY ORDINANCE.

In the habeas corpus case of Wo Lee, arrested for a violation of the laundry ordinance, which prohibits a laundry being carried on in a wooden building within the city limits, United States Circuit Judge Sawyer and District Judge Sabin rendered an opinion to-day. They hold that the enforcement of the law would be little short of confiscation of a large amount of property invested in laundries, and, though believing the ordinance to be in contravention of the Fourteenth Amendment of the United States constitution, they declined to declare it invalid. Judge Sawyer said he preferred that the matter be carried to the Supreme Court of the United States on appeal, which will probably be done. The writ was released and the prisoner ordered into custody again.

SHOWERING.

The rainfall in this city, up to 8 o'clock this morning, for the past 24 hours was 0.75 of an inch. It is now showering, with prospects of continuing through the night.

TESTED THEIR CREDENTIALS.

Commissioner Sawyer to-day tried the cases of the two Chinamen under arrest who came here with certificates issued by the Chinese Consul at Yokohama, and bearing indorsements by United States Consul-General Green. After considerable argument, counsel for the Chinese introduced circular rulings of the Treasury Department to prove that the certificates were properly made out, and Commissioner Sawyer dismissed the charges and both men were allowed to land.

THE CASETT IMPEACHMENT.

No official announcement as to the amount of Supreme Court Clerk McCarthy's deficiencies has yet been made, but it is claimed that the original amount was $13,000. This sum, it is claimed, has been greatly reduced by the discovery that many of the amounts were not entered in the cash book when paid out by McCarty. It is stated that, by the time McCarthy returns here, all outstanding demands against him as Clerk of the Supreme Court will have been cancelled by his friends.

SMUGGLED OPIUM SEIZED.

The Custom House officials, to-day, seized, on the Pacific Mail dock, 600 packs of prepared opium, valued at $11,000. It was packed in fourteen cases, part of them resembling tea chests and part Chinese oil cases, and was brought here on the Pacific Mail steamship City of New York, which arrived on Sunday last. The packages were marked "P. L.," and were not entered on the ship's manifest. The discovery of the last fact led to the seizure.

PHILADELPHIA.

A Big Fire in Arch Street—The Morris Building and the St. Cloud Hotel Ruined.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 26.—The five-story brick building, Nos. 715 to 719 Arch street, was discovered on fire at 1:35 o'clock this morning. The flames quickly communicated to 721 Arch street. The building in which the fire originated was one of the handsomest in Arch street. The upper floors were occupied by three firms of lithographers. Each of these firms will suffer a total loss. The first floor was occupied by Myers Bros. & Co., wholesale boots and shoes. The building, 721 Arch street, was occupied by May & Bro., straw and millinery goods. The firemen, finding their efforts to save the Morris building unavailing, directed their streams to the St. Cloud Hotel, which adjoins, immediately on the east. The guests in the hotel had all retired for the night, and were startled by frantic shouts of "Fire!" which came from the fourth floor. The cry of warning created a panic in the hostelry. The guests rushed from their rooms, partly dressed, into the corridors and downstairs to the office. The female guests were escorted safely to quarters in the neighborhood, while the gentlemen, some with grips-sacks and others lugging their trunks, looked after their own interests. There were many exciting incidents and scenes attending upon the progress of the fire, but no accident was reported.

At 2:15 the front wall of the Morris building fell, with a crash, into the street. This was soon afterward followed by the fall of the side wall upon the warehouse occupied by May & Bro. The roof was smashed, the building shattered by burning debris. A number of buildings on the south side of Arch street were damaged by the fire and water, and others suffered from water. The double building, 723 and 725 Arch street, just west of the Morris building, was entirely burned. Shortly after 2 it was evident that the St. Cloud Hotel was doomed. A great volume of flame and smoke came pouring through the fifth floor front windows. During the early stages of the fire and before it had reached the hotel the police ran through the latter building to awaken the guests who had not previously been alarmed. Some of them were too sleepy to be aroused and the officers were obliged to break in a few doors and get people out. By 3 o'clock the cornice portion of the top story of the hotel fell into Arch street, sending up myriads of cinders. At 3:45 the fire was under control. The St. Cloud Hotel was a five-story structure, with a frontage of eighty feet. It had accommodations for 350 guests, and last night was filled to two-thirds its capacity. The proprietors say they valued their furniture and effects at $50,000, fully covered by insurance. The Temperance Hotel, which adjoins the St. Cloud on the east side, also caught fire. The guests, who were mainly permanent boarders, were directed to leave it and all of them succeeded in saving their personal property. The loss as now estimated is one-half to three-fourths to a million dollars.

Florida's Black Eye.

NEW YORK, January 26.—A Tribune special from Sanford, Florida, says: "Florida has a black eye. The orange crop is ruined. Many of the young trees are killed and people are trying to conceal it. Land agents swear that it is not so. There is not a sound orange left in the region. In all the famous orange groves the ground is covered with golden frozen fruit. These are facts, gathered from the best sources of information. This means the loss of many millions of dollars."

A Carson Merchant in Trouble.

CARSON, Nev., Jan. 26.—John G. Fox, an old, merchant of Carson, was attached to-day by D. A. Bender for $3500, and by the California Jewelry Company for $10,000. All told, the liabilities must be $30,000 or $40,000; assets unknown.

The Divided Ohio Senate.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 26.—The Republican Senate adjourned till to-morrow at 10 a. m. The Democratic caucus accomplished nothing, except to resolve on a solid front, and that they will go into the Senate chamber at 4 p. m. to-morrow.

GREECE:

England Makes a Hostile Naval Demonstration.

AN APPEAL TO GLADSTONE FOR HELP.

The Grecian Fleet Sends Out of Port to Avoid a Blockade—The Turkish Fleet Approaching.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The British Mediterranean fleet, under Admiral Hay, has been ordered to Sireans, the port of Athens.

SEEKING A FRIEND IN GLADSTONE.

The people of Athens, through their committee, have telegraphed to Gladstone as follows: "We place in your hands the Hellenic cause, with the firm hope that it will find in you a generous champion?"

Gladstone, in response, telegraphed: "Considering the authority attaching to the action of the Powers, both on general grounds and by reason of their intervention in the formation of the Greek kingdom, I earnestly hope that Greece will pause before placing herself on this occasion in conflict with their deliberate and united recommendation."

THE GREEK FLEET GETS OUT.

ATHENS, Jan. 26.—The Greek fleet has departed from Sireans to avoid being blockaded by the British fleet. The Greek fleet comprises 43 ships, including two iron-clads and six gunboats. Seven Turkish iron-clads are cruising in the vicinity of Prevesa Epirus, on the north side of the entrance to the Gulf of Arta.

THE WAR FEVER BEYOND CONTROL.

ATHENS, Jan. 26.—The war fever here is beyond control of the King and Premier.

RETURNS TO DISARM.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—Greece has replied to the second note from the Powers, and refuses to disarm. The British ambassador at Constantinople has notified the Porte of England's action in regard to Greece.

A CIRCULAR FROM THE PORTE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 26.—The Porte has issued a circular to the powers, in which it points out that the present strained political situation is unbearable. It says that Turkey, though not to blame for this state of affairs, is compelled to maintain a huge army on a war footing at an expense which will empty her treasury, unless the Powers effect a speedy settlement.

ANTI-JOHN.

Healdsburg Moving—Merced Calls a Meeting.

HEALDSBURG, Cal., Jan. 26.—Bills were circulated to-day calling a meeting of citizens to-morrow evening. Public sentiment favors a general boycott system against the Chinese. The action at Cloverdale, ordering the Chinese to leave in forty-eight hours, has stimulated the people here.

MERCED, Jan. 26.—An anti-Chinese meeting is called to meet at Lecker's Hall to-night to agitate the question, and elect delegates to the Sacramento convention.

PETALUMA DISCHARGING THEM.

PETALUMA, Jan. 26.—Chinese help are being discharged by families in this city and surrounding country, and patronage withdrawn from their washhouses. The Chinese are seldom seen on the streets and are much frightened about the turn affairs have taken. No violence has been done the Chinamen, and it is hoped that the purpose will be effected without illegal measures being taken to get rid of the Chinese.

EXPELLING THE CLOVERDALE CHINAMEN.

CLOVERDALE, Cal., Jan. 26.—A meeting of the citizens and tax-payers of Cloverdale took place last night, for the purpose of devising means of getting rid of the Chinese. A series of resolutions were adopted, and inflammatory addresses were made by prominent citizens. A committee of fifteen tax-payers was appointed to act for a year, and to notify the Chinese in this city and vicinity that they would be given forty-eight hours from 10 o'clock to-day in which to leave. If they persist in staying, a guard will be called and more stringent measures taken. The action of the meeting was inspired by the recent murder of Mr. and Mrs. Wickersham, near here.

FIRE FLOODS.

Salinas Under Water, Stockton Scared.

SALINAS, Cal., Jan. 26.—It has rained incessantly all the afternoon, and is now pouring. No sign of letting up. Large tracts of farming lands are under water. There is much damage to grain fields by washing out.

SHASTA, Cal., Jan. 26.—The terrific rain-storm which commenced on the 20th inst., still continues. Rainfall to-day, 2½ inches. For the season, 50 inches. No signs of a clear-up.

DISASTROUS FLOODS AT STOCKTON.

Dispatches received here give particulars of disastrous floods at Stockton. What is known as the Moss Tract is completely inundated, and damaged to the extent of $50,000. The levees about Roberts' Island broke and 13,000 acres of grain was submerged. The damage to the latter place will reach $300,000.

Ball and Cue.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The International Billiard match, fourteen-inch balk line, 3000 points up, 600 points per night, for a stake of $4000, between Jacob Schaeffer and Maurice Vignaux, which will continue for five consecutive nights, was begun to-night in Cosmopolitan Hall. At the wind-up the score stood Vignaux, 274; Shaeffer, 600. Winner's average, 21½; loser's average, 10¼.

New Universalist Church at Pomona.

Last Sunday a new Universalist church was dedicated at Pomona. Rev. E. H. Deere, of Pomona, preached the dedicative sermon, and at the 3 o'clock service Rev. Mr. Reed, of Rockford, Ill., preached. The music was furnished by a quartette from this city—the Misses Weisman and Messrs. Jeffray and Stone—and was excellent. This little church was erected entirely by the exertions of Mr. A. G. Throop, late of Chicago, who furnished the lot and contributed liberally in other ways. Rev. Dr. Fay, of this city, was invited to attend, but owing to other engagements was unable to. The announcement that he would be present was a mistake due to the unqualified announcement, by a Pomona paper, to that effect.

Villa Excursion Postponed.

Owing to the rain, the grand 50-cent excursion to Pasadena, San Gabriel Valley, etc., and vineyard auction sale at Sierra Madre Villa, has been postponed to Monday next, February 1st, at 1 p. m. Steam cars leave Los Angeles at 10:45 a. m. In order to ascertain the number of cars and conveyances needed, and quantity of lunch required, tickets must be purchased before day of sale, and can be procured at Heintzeman's drug store, 122 N. Main street, Friday and Saturday next, from 1 to 5 or 7 to 9 p. m. Also in Pasadena, at railroad station on Friday and Saturday next.

Manufacturers' Meeting.

The Manufacturers' Association meets Thursday night next, at Old Masonic Hall, 57 Spring street.

AMUSEMENTS.

CHISPA.—Joseph B. Grismer, Phoebe Davies and their excellent supporting company, at present in this city awaiting the opening of the railroad to resume their tour, will play a three nights' engagement at the Grand Opera House, opening to-morrow evening in Greene and Thompson's idyl of California life entitled *Chispa*. It is in this drama that Miss Davies has scored one of her greatest successes, having a role to impersonate in the child of nature in which her real talent shows admirably. Mr. Grismer, as the rugged, illiterate mountaineer, "Zeke Stevens," also has a strong part, one in which he can well display his versatility as an actor. *Chispa* has always proved one of the strongest plays in the repertoire of Mr. Grismer and Miss Davies, and will undoubtedly attract a crowded house for the opening night of their farewell engagements. On Friday evening the powerful dramatization of Jules Verne's great story of Russian life will be presented, and for Saturday evening Bouicicault's exciting drama, *The Streets of New York*, will be given. There will also be a matinee on Saturday.

DEFEATED.

The Salisbury Government Tumbles

ON VOTE TO AMEND THE CROWN ADDRESS.

And Just as Vigorous Anti-Land League Measures are Announced—The Irish Members Shout "Boycotted!"

Associated Press Dispatches to the Times.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—An urgent appeal has been issued by the Tory whip to Conservative members of Parliament to be present and participate in divisions to take place to-night, as a defeat would involve the resignation of the Cabinet.

TO SUPPRESS THE LAND LEAGUE.

Michael Hicks Beach, Conservative leader, gave notice in the House of Commons this afternoon that the government would introduce on Thursday a bill to suppress the Irish National League and other dangerous societies, to prevent intimidation and protect life and property and to maintain public order in Ireland. The announcement was greeted with loud cheers. Sir Michael said he would ask the House to give the bill precedence. He added that this measure would be followed by a bill dealing with the Irish land question on the lines of the policy indicated by the Land Purchase Act of the last session.

THE GOVERNMENT DEFEATED.

In the House of Commons Mr. Collings moved his amendment to the address on the subject of allotments.

Mr. Gladstone strongly supported Mr. Collins's amendment and the Marquis of Hartington opposed it.

Sir Michael Hicks Beach said the Government would willingly accept the decision of the House, as they had assumed office with reluctance and would resign without regret. The amendment was adopted by a vote of 329 to 250, the Government thus being defeated. The result of the division was received by the Irish members with deafening cheers and cries of "boycotted."

The House, at the suggestion of Sir Michael Hicks, adjourned until Thursday.

The Morning Post says the resignation of the Government will be announced on Thursday.

TOOK THE OATH.

DUBLIN, Jan. 26.—W. H. Smith took the oath of office as Chief Secretary of Ireland to-day, and immediately afterwards started for London.

THE PRACTICAL WAY.

A Lumberman's Ideas on Bridge Building.

To the Editor of the Times—Sir: I have had thirty years' experience in "river driving" and logging on the principal rivers of Maine, Wisconsin and California; and my experience has some knowledge of dams, piers and bridges, and by consent will add my views to the many now agitating this community. There is but one practical way to remedy the evil and loss caused by overflow of the river and save the bridges. First—The bridges should be at least twenty feet above average water mark, resting on granite piers twelve feet wide at the lower side of bridge, and extending up the river above the bridge sufficiently far on top to give the bridge ample bearings, and then extended to a sloping point to the bottom of river bed, and placed as deep as six feet beneath the river bottom. Piers should be roughly-hewed granite of as large-sized pieces as can be used on the sides, and filled with rock and mortar outside of the side-lines. Wrought-iron practicable here, and each end of the bridge well secured by a granite abutment extending shoreward beyond high water.

The river channel should be narrowed as much as possible by a broad levee, made of dirt as free from vegetation as possible. When built, and after it is finished, shrubbery and trees may be planted on the top of the levee and on the land side, but keep the river side as free from all obstructions as possible to prevent eddying of the current. The levee should be of sufficient height to confine the water in a narrow channel, and the water's force will help keep open its own channel, which, if allowed to widen, it will lose its cutting force and fill up, run over, and hence the evil. The top of the levee should be wide enough to admit of wagons and travel on the levee which will always keep the earth packed, and every miner and practical water man in California well knows that clean earth, "even if it is sandy," makes the safest dams or levees ever made. The older, the safer, and the cheapest which can possibly be built, all the ideas of engineers, student, jewelers or real-estate men to the contrary notwithstanding. Granite for bridge piers can be had at any of the foothill cañons, i. e., Sawpit, Santa Anita, or others west of the Villa, and earth can be obtained of a loamy nature all along the river channel for levee use.

L. H. EMERSON.

Los Angeles, January 27.

A MIXED CASE.

Joe Williams Arrested for Alleged Larceny.

J. L. Williams, landlord of the Rose Block, slept in the police office last night; while on the book opposite his name was written, "Larceny. Arrested by Jackson." It appears that on the 8th of January Mr. Williams went into partnership with D. B. Canfield, a Philadelphian, about seventy years of age, to run the restaurant in the Rose Block. They fell out, and Mr. Canfield got a notion that his partner was trying to shanghai him. They signed an agreement in the presence of A. H. Spencer, night before last, to settle the matter by arbitration at 10 a. m. yesterday; but at the appointed time Mr. Canfield was absent. Last night he got Justice Ramsey to his room, and swore out a warrant for Williams for the larceny, charging that Williams entered the restaurant and took the money from the drawer. When the arrest was made it was too late to secure the cash bail of $250 required, and Mr. Williams banked in the Chief's office. He promises to sue Mr. Canfield for false imprisonment.

Condition of the Railroads.

Train Dispatcher Lockwood informed a TIMES reporter yesterday that a train might got through to the north to-day, but it is improbable that the connection will be made before to-morrow. Workmen are busy on the Santa Ana road, but it will be a week or more before trains will run. General Manager Campbell, of the California Southern, thought the road would be open to San Diego to-day.

Trains.

The Warner Bros. & Crosby and the Sigler excursions did not arrive last night, but are expected to-night. The two S. P. R. R. construction trains working north and south have got within three or four miles of each other, in the Soledad Cañon, and the gap is expected to be closed to-night. A train for San Francisco will probably leave here at 8 or 9 o'clock to-morrow morning; and one from the north will arrive in the afternoon.

Sale of Real Estate Yesterday.

The sale of real estate at the Vienna Theatre yesterday was very successful. John C. Ball officiated as auctioneer. The Mascarel property on Bath street brought $6000; 320 acres of land at Cucamonga station brought on an average $15 an acre; forty ten-acre lots at Greenetta Cañada brought on an average $35 an acre. The sale brought in altogether $23,000.

Special Notices.

Parties who hold meal tickets against the W. C. T. U. Cafe, and desire their money refunded, will please call at the Y. M. C. A. parlors between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m., Saturday, Jan. 30. By order of committee. MRS. C. A. GIBSON, Pres. MISS E. HELEN WOOSTER, Sec. ja24 3t

Attention, Company A, Seventh Infantry Battalion.—All members are hereby commanded to attend all regular drills at New Armory Hall, on WEDNESDAY EVENING of each week at 7:30 o'clock. By order of C. A. KETLER, Capt. Comdg. S. L. FOSTER, First Sergt. ja22 1m

A Day's Delight.

The traveler or tourist will find a day's delight in the excursion leaving each week day by the new San Gabriel valley road, at 8:45 a. m., and including the drive through Rose's and Baldwin's to the Villa from Pasadena.

Business Associates.

The TIMES is indebted to the Secretary of the Board of Trade and Produce Exchange for a copy of the following letter, which explains itself:

CONSULATE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AT LYONS, Dec. 28, 1885.

A. M. Lawrence, Secretary Los Angeles Board of Trade—DEAR SIR: I am in receipt of your esteemed favor of November 19th, conveying to me the thanks of the Board of Trade for statements of exports from this consular district to the United States, and assuring me of the friendly interest of its members in my successful administration of the office I have the honor to hold.

Please assure the gentlemen composing your Board

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ENLARGED SHEET

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1886.

The Florida Freeze.

Without any desire to mock at their calamity, or laugh when their fear came to the frosted Floridians, the TIMES has heretofore published details of the serious damage wrought to the orange crop of the Gulf State, giving the facts impartially, both by telegraph and from Florida journals, which may be trusted to not overstate the results of the cold snap. The bad accounts heretofore received are more than confirmed by a dispatch which we print this morning from Sanford, Florida, which declares that "the orange crop is ruined;" that "many of the young trees are killed," and people are trying to conceal the fact; that "land agents swear it is not so, but it is;" that "there is not a sound orange left in the region;" that "in all the famous orange groves the ground is covered with the golden frozen fruit." The dispatch adds this clincher: "These are facts gathered from the best sources of information. This means the loss of many millions of dollars."

We can well believe it. In a State where the orange crop constitutes so large a proportion of the productive wealth of the State as it does in Florida, such a damaging freeze as that just sustained there amounts to nothing less than a public calamity.

Referring to this subject, the San Francisco Chronicle conservatively says:

> No Californian will be meanly selfish enough to rejoice over the disaster which has almost destroyed the Florida orange crop and killed so many trees in full bearing. This is one of those calamities which appeals for sympathy to every right-minded man. Thousands of persons with small means in the East have invested their all in a small orange plantation in Florida, and will be reduced to poverty by this unprecedented catastrophe.
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> At the same time it is a mere mercantile fact that the accident will increase the demand for California oranges, and will stimulate the planting of the trees in this State. It was proved at the New Orleans exhibition that the orange of Southern California is, on the whole, a superior fruit to the Florida orange. I do know that such frosts as that which in the second week in January swept over the Atlantic seaboard never occur in those portions of this State which are adapted for orange culture. It may here be inferred that some at least of the persons who were engaged in orange growing in Florida will transfer their labor and what remains of their capital to California. Here they can plant their trees with a moderate certainty of gathering the fruit in a merchantable condition when the sapling has come to bearing age.
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> The result of this terrible Florida freeze will almost surely be to send many orange-growers of that State to Southern California to repair their broken fortunes.

Fortunate California.

Notwithstanding the discomforts arising from our long continued storms, Southern California has less to complain of, and has suffered far less than most other sections of the country. We have had abundant rains, which have done some damage, but the benefit which in the end will accrue from them will overbalance a hundred times, all the financial loss which has been experienced. The ground has been so abundantly moistened that good harvests are insured, and doubtless Southern California will realize immense crops not only of cereals, but of hay and fruits.

The promise of a year of unparalleled prosperity is before us, and the outlook is such that we may well look forward with hope into the near future. The cold wave, which swept with such destructive force from Maine to Florida, and from Maryland to Texas, and which overturned all long-established habits of temperature, forbore to interfere with our semi-tropic belongings. Our orange orchards have experienced only the slightest touch of frost blight, and they are ready to furnish extensive supplies for eastern and other markets. The temperature of California during the past few weeks, as compared with that of semi-tropical countries throughout the world, has been phenomenal. Although it has been somewhat lower than ordinary, it has not fallen sufficiently low to even endanger our most tropical plants. While Rome, and Italy at large, and Southern France, and our Southland have had winter in earnest, with the thermometer ranging in the vicinity of zero, winter has been a make-believe affair with us, the lowest figures indicated by the thermometer being 26 degrees above zero—and this only at night. These are not very formidable figures to contemplate, and even those in the most delicate health would not be alarmed by them.

Those who have hitherto looked upon Florida as the especially favored home of the orange, and who have been desirous of becoming orange growers, will, in view of the more favorable conditions existing in Southern California during this season, be likely to have their attention turned in this direction, and will probably prefer to make their first experiment in that industry here. Those, too, who have contended with the extreme cold of the winter where it has been most severe, and who are anxious to find more favorable climatic conditions, will before another winter turn their faces towards the semi-tropic portions of California. No section of the State holds such attractions for the frost-bitten and winter-wearied people of the country as does Los Angeles county, and they will come here before the close of the present year in large numbers; and from this time onward, as heretofore, our growth will be steady, healthful and surprising, and in a constantly increasing ratio.

THE Board of Trade's petition to Congress, just turned out of the TIMES-MIRROR job department, is pronounced on all sides as "daisy" typographically; in fact, a whole garden full of daisies.

A MYSTERIOUS DEATH.

A Fallen Woman's Extraordinary Disease.

In Seger's dance-house, a low place at San Pedro, there died on Sunday a woman of easy virtue, whose death was so astonishing that the two physicians who attended her during the two days of illness preceding her death, called the attention of the Coroner to it.

The woman was prepossessing, barely twenty-three years old, and had been an inhabitant of San Pedro less than one year. She went by the name of Carrie Smith, but her real name was Alice Sicott, and she was from Sonoma county, where her parents yet reside. Last Friday at noon she went with two or three other female companions to Timm's Point to gather shells. Apparently she was then in good health and fine spirits. At the point the party scattered, the young woman going by herself to the right. When she was next seen, fifteen minutes later, she was disheveled, violently grasping or trying to tear off her clothes. When her friends reached her she fell. She only spoke a word or two after that, and after being removed to the place where she resided, was seized with strong spasms, contraction of the hands, clenching of teeth and frothing at the mouth. A doctor was not secured until after 6 o'clock that evening, when Dr. Geo. C. Brown, of Wilmington, called. Later on, Dr. C. B. Brierly arrived, but the woman remained insensible, notwithstanding all medical aid, and died on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, after having had a considerable number of convulsions, continually succeeding each other.

The inquest was ordered for 3 p. m. on Monday, which, in view of the peculiar circumstances and the excitement the decease caused in San Pedro, was very exhaustive. A number of persons who were supposed to be able to throw a light upon the subject were examined. It was found that the deceased was living with Dan Smith, a deputy constable, at the dance-house of Gus Segers; that she was jealous and had often threatened to commit suicide in case he paid attention to other women. Some of the witnesses, who were familiar with Miss Sicott, said that if she had poisoned herself, some one must have brought the poison to her, as she never came to town, and was always closely watched in the provision that she might want to do away with herself. This subjected an old barber, who had sometimes visited the deceased and taken her small presents, to an unmerciful cross-examination from the jury, which did not help the case much, as the witness either knew nothing or chose to keep to himself what he knew. The *post-mortem*, made by Drs. McFarland, Brierly and Brown, showed that all the vital organs were in a healthy condition, the ovaries only being slightly congested, which particularly examined by competent gentlemen that this might have produced the convulsions, and that the convulsions might have been the cause of death, but the other doctors did not entirely coincide with that view. The contents of the stomach were then placed in a glass jar and sealed up, to be examined whenever it should become necessary. The brain was particularly examined for symptoms of congestion but it was found in a healthy condition, with a very slight effusion of serum simply warranted by the circumstances. Everything seemed to point to the theory that the deceased had taken poison, but this could only be positively ascertained by a chemical analysis, and as there were no indications of foul play, the jury contented themselves with returning a verdict of "death by causes unknown."

A highly sensational episode occurred at the inquest when a young woman, named Mamie Mungo, who was awaiting her turn to testify, suddenly fell down in a fit. All the witnesses cried out that the symptoms were the same as in the case of Carrie, and for a time there was great excitement. She was finally brought to by Dr. Brierly, and anxiously questioned by some of the bystanders regarding her knowledge of the cause of Carrie's death, but she claimed to know nothing of it more than the others, and recovered fully later in the day. The deceased left a little two-year-old boy, which is claimed by the deputy constable as his own.

SICK OF THE BLIZZARDS.

An Ohio Man Who is Sure He Has Had Enough of Them.

From a private letter received from a gentleman of Waterville, Ohio, the TIMES is allowed to make the extract which appears below. It may be premised that the writer visited Southern California a year ago, and thinking that real estate values were too high for him here, concluded that he would return to Ohio to live. He returned. The following shows how he feels about the matter now:

> * * * * We are experiencing a most terrible cold storm. Here it is 10 to 15 degrees below zero, and, west of us, 30 degrees below zero, and more snow than we have here. We do not stir out of the house, only to do chores. I had hoped to get away from here before it got so cold, but I believe Southern California will have a larger immigration next season than ever before. Mr. Cunning says the railroad will next season sell to soldiers excursion tickets to California and return for $50. I know of quite a number who will go just as soon as they can arrange their business or sell out. As for myself, I would not live here for the whole Maumee valley.

Attempted Murder.

Last Sunday night a man hidden near the railroad track at San Pedro, shot at Constable C. Friis as he was coming along with his horse and in his pockets. The ball let passed through the lining of the coat, near the right hand side pocket, and did not injure the officer, but a deviation of one inch to the left would have resulted fatally. Friis, though disagreeably interrupted in his dreams, did not hesitate to give chase, and immediately caught one man, but he had no pistol, was known to the constable, and said a man had just run past him in the opposite direction. The constable thinks that his assailant meant to shoot some one else. He has his eye upon a hard customer of San Pedro, but the chances are that it will be impossible to collect any evidence to warrant an arrest.

Board of Supervisors.

TUESDAY, Jan. 26, 1886.

Board in regular session, all present.

John Hall, architect for the jail, submitted detailed plans for same. Thereupon the Clerk was directed to advertise that bids will be received by the Board until February 18, at 10 a. m., for the construction of said jail, exclusive of cell work, building to be completed within four months of date of contract, certified check for $2000 to accompany bid.

Mr. Hargett was requested to furnish the Board with a written report of his examination of the plans of Architect Hall.

Overseer of Cahuenga road district was requested to remove all obstacles from the old Cahuenga road.

Warrant for $12 ordered in favor of D. W. Field in payment of rent for indigent.

Adjourned until February 1, at 10 a. m.

Important Land Sale.

It is learned that one of the most important sales of the season was made yesterday, through the real estate firm of J. C. Byram & Co. The tract consists of nearly 200 acres lying west of Figueroa and north of Temple streets, and was sold to a syndicate who will immediately put it on the market. The location is sightly, is a light sandy loam soil free from adobe, and, taken altogether, is the most desirable undivided tract within the city limits. The Sisters' Hospital tract adjoins the tract on the east.

Excursion.

In charge of Maj. Lewis, leaves San Francisco January 26 and Los Angeles January 27. Emigrant rates; express train; fully equipped sleepers, with colored porters; to St. Louis without change; no extra charge. Also Pullman excursions by special train from Chicago, St. Louis, and all Eastern points, to California over Atlantic & Pacific Railway, 345 N. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal., from 10 a. m. to 12 m. daily.

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Forced Sale of Damaged Goods.

Yesterday's floods having damaged a line of goods in our warehouse on Alameda street, we shall offer the same at a nominal price to close them out as soon as we can get them ready for inspection.

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BEAUDRY WATER WORKS.

The Petition of V. Beaudry to the City Council.

HE ASKS FOR A SPECIAL ORDINANCE

The Expense and Trouble His Works Have Been to Him in the Past—Why He Cannot Compete With the City Water Company.

The following petition, which explains itself, was presented to the City Council yesterday by Victor Beaudry:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles:

Your petitioner respectfully represents that he is the owner of the works and source of supply from which the water now furnished to the inhabitants of the hilly portion of Los Angeles City is derived.

Acting under competent legal advice I have at all times desired the power of the Council to fix water rates and charges for the Beaudry Water Works, but understanding that it is the intention of your honorable body to proceed under the provisions of Article XIX of the State Constitution, and regulate the rate for all those who supply water to the public within the municipality, I have concluded to place before you my actual situation regarding the water works which I control, that you may be able to act intelligently concerning them.

I have no desire to raise any issue with the City of Los Angeles, but believe that it will be for the public interest, as well as for my own benefit, to have this matter adjusted to the adoption of such a schedule of rates as will be alike just to me and to the consumer. The purpose of this communication is to place before you, in a concise form, some of the peculiarities of my surroundings, and a few of the many difficulties under which I have labored and with which I have yet to contend.

I am aware that it is impossible to satisfy every one, and do not believe that any private party engaged in distributing water to a large number of people can ever win universal approval, and I cannot but be alive to the fact that the disposition of every community is the reverse of liberal when such questions as the present are raised.

However, I look to you, as in my right, to be fair and reasonable. I want nothing beyond this.

The annoyances to which I am subjected are not easily enumerated. For my own protection, I have obtained agreements from the various parties whom I supply with water by which they have covenanted to pay rates different from those prescribed by your predecessors. Notwithstanding this, objections have been often made to the collection of the sums so agreed upon, and difficulty has been sometimes experienced in enforcing payment.

Justice requires that I should be permitted to collect such compensation as will return a fair income on my investment, and his will require a different rating of rates adapted to my peculiar situation.

I supply the sparsely settled portion of Los Angeles City, whereas the Los Angeles City Water Company, commencing its delivery at the business section. My field of operation is hilly and rugged, whereas that of the Water Company is comparatively level. I pump the water from First street, at which point I expended by the Los Angeles City Water Company and others to supply the hilly portion of the Los Angeles City, but capital could not be obtained to do so, because the universal barren impression was against the success of such an enterprise. I have several times expended to sell those water rights at a price which would result in considerable loss, but without success. I have endeavored to organize a stock company, composed of consumers, but my suggestions have thus far received but little encouragement. I am now ready and more than anxious to sell to the city or any purchaser at a fair and rational price. If an equitable rate cannot be established, it appears to me that the consumers could consent to reimburse my outlay, and take charge of the works and operate them.

I would be very willing to occupy the place of a consumer instead of a supplier, and this notwithstanding the fact that I own considerable land which depends for water upon these works. If the income from the Beaudry Water Works is as large as some parties to believe, it is strange that no one comes forward to purchase them, notwithstanding the fact that the whole property may be bought for a comparatively moderate sum.

I am desirous to continue this enterprise, making the necessary improvements, or the hilly portion of the city will be left without water. I own the soil from whence the principal supply come, as well as that to which I look for replenishment. My title to these lands is perfect, and is unincumbered with any mortgage; and, as I have already said, while I am entirely ready to do what is right by the city, and shortly cease the adoption of an equitable rate, yet I cannot be expected to make heavy investments without any certainty as to the future.

The remarks which I have made concerning the Los Angeles City Water Company must not be construed into the expression of an opinion in any way adverse to that corporation. I have merely alluded to the difference in the surroundings of that two supplies to show that my rates should be such as to make them remunerative.

I am informed there can be no question as to your power to discriminate in fixing water rates.

You could not, of course, do so as to persons or corporations supplying water in the same section of the city, and acting under similar circumstances, but I am informed that one rate can be fixed covering the case of all those who supply the hilly portion of the municipality, and another which shall be applicable to such persons or corporations as may supply the level part of the city. No one can afford to furnish both localities at the same rates.

I have in my possession and will furnish to your honorable body, or to such committee as you may appoint, the rates at which water is supplied in Marysville, Sacramento and Tulare, in each of which instances the water is raised by artificial means, though not to as great a height as in my case.

Moreover, each of the cities named are comparatively level, and the expense of operation and maintenance, as well as cost of construction, are necessarily less.

Nevertheless, the rates which I have heretofore insisted upon will be found to compare very favorably with those established by municipal authority in the cities referred to.

I respectfully submit that your honorable body carefully consider the matters which I have urged and it will be my pleasure to furnish you any information in my possession which will assist you in arriving at a just conclusion in the premises.

V. BEAUDRY.

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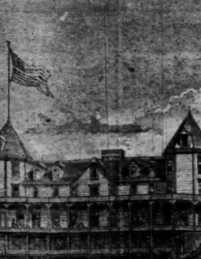

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Erie 1st..... 1	Texas Pacific.... 12¾
Erie 2d..... 2½	Union Pacific.... 49¾
Hannibal & St. J. 28½	United States .. 60
Lake Shore..... 93¾	Wells, Fargo..... 95
North Western.. 104½	Western Union.. 69¾
N. Y. Central.... 96¾	

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.	
Bod and Belcher	26 Peerless..... 05
Gould and Curry	25 Potosi..... 20
Hale and Norcross	2 25 Savage..... 65
Justice	30 Sierra Nevada.. 50
Ophir	80 Yellow Jacket.. 50

San Francisco Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—Wheat fair, uniform; No. 1 shipping, $1 37½; brewing, $1 40@1 45. Corn: California, $1 10@1 17½.

Chicago Grain Market.

By Associated Press to The Times.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Wheat firm; 81¾c cash; February, 82c; May, Corn steadily; 38½c cash; February, 39c; May. Closing quotations: Wheat firm, lower; 80¾c January-February; $1 00 May. Corn steady, unchanged.

English Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 26.—Weather in England wet and stormy. Wheat: Fair demand; spot and spring, 7s 2d, firm. Corn: Fair demand; old mixed spot, 4s 7½d; new mixed, January and March, dull, 4s 11½d.

Pork.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Pork steady and unchanged; $10 87½ January-February; $13 00 May.

Los Angeles Produce Market.

The following is the official record of the Los Angeles Produce Exchange, corrected daily. In the quotations, unless otherwise noted, it is to be understood that the first figure is the highest price bid and the last the lowest price asked. These quotations are for round lots from first hands; or small lots out of store higher prices are asked.

WHEAT—Australian No. 1, $1 40, bid; No. 2, $1 35, asked; No. 4, $1, asked; Club-Rough, $1 75, asked; Gold Drop, $1 35, asked; Scours, $1 25@1 40; Defiance, No. 1, $1 30@1 40; do No. 2, $1 10@1 25; Odessa, No. 1, $1 25, asked; Job lots, $1 30, asked. RYE—No. 1, $2, asked.

OATS—Surprise, $1 50@1 75.

BARLEY—Feed, No. 1, old, $1 25, asked; do No. 2, new, $1 15@1 20; Brewing, No. 1, $1 45, asked; do No. 2, $1 30@1 40, asked; Chevalier, $1 50, asked.

CORN—Large yellow, carload lots, 90 @ 92½c; do job lots, $1 05; Large White, carload lots, $1 10, asked; Small yellow, car loads, $1 05; Large White, $1 10, asked; small white, $1 10, asked.

FLOUR—Los Angeles XXXX, Extra Family Pat. Bal. flour, $4 00, asked; Capitol Mills Extra Family Pat. Rolled flour, $4, asked.

MILL FEED—Bran, $17 00, asked; Shorts, $18 00, asked; Middlings, $20, asked; Cracked corn, $1 20, asked; Cracked barley, $1 35, asked; Ground barley, $1 25, asked; Rolled barley, $1 35, asked.

GRAIN BAGS—Millsacks, 32@35c; 884 Calcutta spot; Sacks, 2½@3c.

SEED—Alfalfa, new, 14c, asked.

HAY—Barley, W. B. No. 1, old, $10 50, asked; do new, $13 00, asked; Barley, R. B., No. 1, $12 00@12 50; Alfalfa, R. B., $9 50 bid; do W. B., $8 00@10 00; Wheat, R. B., $13 00, bid; Wheat, W. B., $13 50, asked; Oat, W. B., $11, bid.

POTATOES—Early Rose, Northern, $1 10@ 1 25; Peerless, 75c, asked; Oregon Burbank, $1 00, asked; Early Rose, seed, $1 00, asked; Peachblows, $1 00, asked; River Red, $1 00, asked; new potatoes, $1 00, asked.

SWEET POTATOES—Yellow, 85@90c; Red, 90c, asked.

BUTTER—Fancy roll, ¥ lb, 26c, asked; Choice roll, 25c, asked; Fair roll, 23c, asked; Mixed store, 19@21c; Firkin cooking, 16c, asked.

CHEESE—Large, 12½c, asked; Small, 13c, asked; do 3 lb hand, 14½c, asked.

HONEY—Extracted light, 3½@4c; Job lots, 5c, asked; Amber, 3½c; Comb, 10@ 12c.

BEESWAX—Beeswax, 20@22c.

ONIONS—Northern Yellow Danvers, $2 50 asked.

VEGETABLES MIXED—Chilies, 7½@10c; Garlic, 10@12c; Cabbage, ¥ 100 lbs, $2, asked.

BEANS AND DRIED PEAS—Pink No. 1, $2@2 50; Weavey, 50c; asked; do job lots, $2 bid, $2 50@3 00; do No. 2, 50c, asked; Sugar, $1 75, asked; Lima, $2 50; Navy, large, $1 90; bid; do small, $1 75@2 00; asked; Black-eyed, $1 50, asked; Garavanzos, $1 25, asked; Green field peas, $2 00@3 00, asked, $3 00 asked.

POULTRY—Hens, No. 1, ¥ doz, $5 00@6 00; Roosters, $4 00@5 00; Chickens, large, $4 00@4 50; Broilers, large, $4 00@4 50; Broil, small, $3 50@4 00; Ducks, large, $4 00@5 00; do small, $3 50@4 00; Turkeys, 12@15c ¥ lb.

LIVE STOCK—Live hogs, 3½@3c.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches, sun dried, 1½c, asked; do No. 2, 4c; do peeled, 10c asked; do peeled No. 1, 4, 8c, asked; Pitted plums, 4@4½c, asked; Plums, pitted, 4@5c, asked; Blackberries, 3c, asked; Prunes, Cal. French, 3c, asked; do Cala. German, 2½c, asked; do Hungarian, 2c, asked; Apricots, sun dried, 8c asked; Apples, evaporated, 2½c asked; do Rose's Alden, 3½c, asked; do sun dried, 2½c, asked; do, sun dried quartered, 2½c, asked.

RAISINS—Layers, $2 00, asked; Extra London layers, new, $2 25, asked; Three Crown layers, new, $2 15, asked; Loose Muscatels, $1 35, asked; Bunk raisins, Aggie, Dried grapes, 2½c, asked.

NUTS—Walnuts, new, 6½@8c; Peanuts, Cala. No. 1, 5c, asked; do Cala. No. 2, 2½c, asked; do Eastern, 3c, asked, Almonds, 8 @ 10c, asked; do H. B., 8c, asked.

CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges, Los Angeles, new crop, $1 25, asked; Riverside, $2 00, asked; Lemons, seedling, ¥ box, $1 50, asked; Eureka, $2 50, asked; Limes, $1 00, asked.

CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, ¥ bbl, $12 00, asked; Bell-ard Bugle, $11 50, asked; Bell and Cherry, $10 50, asked.

HIDES—Dry, 12c, bid; Kip, 12c, bid; Calf, 14c, bid; only 5pc sold.

SKINS—Short wool, each, 15@30c, bid; Long wool, 75c, bid; Shearings, 10c, bid.

WOOL—Fall clip, ¥ lb, 7½c, bid; Spring clip, 10c, bid.

PROVISIONS—Extra light bacon, 11c, asked; Light, 10c, asked; Clear Medium, 9c, asked; Medium bacon, 9½c, asked; Heavy bacon, 9c, asked.

LARD—$3 5 lbs, 50, asked; 3 lb pails, 10c, asked; 5 lb pails, 9½c, asked; 10 lb pails, 9c, asked.

HAMS—Eastern sugar-cured, 12@14c, asked; California, 10c, asked.

Los Angeles Wholesale Rent Market

Corrected for the Times by S. Slater, 49 South Spring Street.

The following are prices for whole carcass:

BEEF—First grade, 7c per pound; second grade, 6c; third grade, 5½c.

MUTTON—5c per pound for Ewes; and 6c for Wethers.

LAMB—Spring, 5c.

VEAL—Small, 7c be per pound.

HOGS—On foot, hard, 3c per pound dressed, 5c

Real Estate Transfers.

[Reported by Gillette & Gibson.]

TUESDAY, Jan. 26, 1886

CONVEYANCES.

Tomasa Jauge to Erolinda Potter: E ½ of lot 6 in Nadi's subdivision of lot 3, block 4, Sanchez tract, love.

Francisco Lopez to Francisco Eulogio Lopez: All real property owned or to be acquired by grantor. $400

H. L. Wicks to Myron Cheesebrough: 4 acres in Pasadena tract, being lot 4, block F, H S, $400.

Peter Schmutzler to Lee Allman: 20 acres in El Rancho Anita, $4000.

Mildred Thompson to Mrs Clara F Hempstead: Lot on S line of Columbia street, Pasadena, love.

L Reeder to M L Wicks: Lot 18, block 1, Sunny tract, $1800.

Henry Beaudry to George Amiot: Lots 9, 13, 14, block 4, West Rosas tract, $900.

J. S. Somerville to Los Angeles and San Gabriel Valley Railroad Company: 60 feet wide in Rubio Mesa tract, $1.

L H Michener and Esther Michener, his wife, to Charles K Michener and Mary E Michener, his wife: Lot 5, Michiner's subdivision of block U, Painter & Ball's tract, $600.

Estate of Charles L Kaufer: Decree, dividing S W ¼ of block 175, Pomona, to Clara Kaufer.

H H Begg, W T Childress, F H Lowell and A D Childress to J T Stevenson: Lots 5, 6, 13, 14, block A, Crescenta Cañada, $1.

Estate of P S and R C Woodworth: Order confirming sale of undivided 3-42 interest in and in lots of Commercial street; lot 4, block 2 of Alameda street; lots 3 and 4, block 1 of Mountain Garden tract, and lots 11 and 12 Monte; lot 13, block 78, Pomona, and Pomona Colton, or W H Perry Lumber and Mill Company, $1000.

P S Woodworth, guardian of estates of R C Woodworth and R C Woodworth, to W H Perry Lumber and Mill Company: Same as last above, $1000.

C F Bradshaw to Ira B Smith: Lot 3, block K, Mott tract, $250.

Joseph Palomares to Augustin Bilz: Lot 17, Burdick's addition to Pomona, $5.

Charles Chauvard to Seventh Day Adventist Church of Los Angeles: W 40 feet of lots 3 and 4, block A, Moreno Vineyard tract, $600.

F Washburn to Charles Starr: Lot 8, Washburn's subdivision of lot 12, block N, Boyle Heights tract, $600.

Bridget E Cunningham to Charles N Wilcoxen: S ½ of lot 3, block H, Crescenta Cañada, love.

Mary E Brainard and K E Brainard, her husband, to Chas N Williams: Lot 18, Kenney tract, $800.

Henry Beaudry to Michael Knopf: Lot 5, block 1, Sunny View tract No 1, $400.

Jacob Rushman to John R Rouff and Ida K Rouff: Lot 9, Reyes estate on E Buena Vista, $250 56.

George L Grimston, Fannie E Marshall and R F Marshall, her husband, to George B Wilson: Lots E, F and G, block 75, Santa Monica, $2.

O W Childs to E B Wilcox: W 26.26 acres of lot 51, Wolfskill's subdivision of part of Rancho Las Nietos, and lots 7, 8, 9, 10, block 10, Palmer Building Lot Association tract, free.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Eufemia A Croft to L H Michener and Esther Michener: Partial release of mortgage, book 96, page 296.

Thomas Hopkins: Revocation of power of attorney to O C Brown.

J J Woodworth, guardian of estate of R C and P S Woodworth, to W H Perry Lumber and Mill Company: Bill of sale of personal property, $250.

Emily N Preston to R Verch: Assignment of mortgage, book 99, page 541.

Samuel Boutwell, executrix of estate of P Boutwell, to A G Shafer: Partial release of mortgage, book 96, page 529.

Pomona Bank: Statement of condition.

Pomona Bank: Statement of capital.

Map of the Los Angeles Improvement Company's subdivision of part of lot 3, block 39, H S.

Map of the Los Angeles Improvement Company's subdivision of part of lot 2, block 39, H S.

Map of L H Michener's subdivision of the S 14 acres of block U, Painter & Ball's addition to Pasadena.

JUDGMENTS.

Hannah M Leeke vs Allen G Beebe: Divorce.

THE COURTS.

TUESDAY, January 26.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Judge Cheney.*

Leonis vs. Mias: Continued until February 1.

People vs. Addie Moore: Continued until February 9 at 1 p. m.

Samuel W. Doregity admitted to practice on certificate from Massachusetts.

Willis Newton, term-trial juror, excused for good reasons.

SET FOR WEDNESDAY.

People vs. Ah Mahoe.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Judge Brunson.*

Pico vs. Pico: Passed for session and ordered off calendar.

Baldwin vs. Bell: Ten days further time for defendant to plead.

Clement vs. Pollich: Findings and judgment signed and filed in open court.

Bigelow vs. Carr: Reset for February 24.

Pico vs. Hellman et al: Action dismissed as to Robert Devine and John J. Mone.

Pico vs. Hellman: Case continued for argument on Saturday, January 30, at 10 a. m.

Application of Seventh Day Adventist Church to sell pr perty Granted.

Rinehart et al. vs. Lugo et al.: Cause argued and submitted.

Bigelow vs. Van Vest: Report of referee confirmed. Judgment in partition filed.

Lewis vs. Rocha: Continued until January 27 at 10 a. m.

Redome vs. Briswalter: Motion for new trial argued and submitted.

SET FOR WEDNESDAY.

Pico vs. Phelan.

Pico vs. Valenzuela.

Lewis vs. Rocha.

CITY JUSTICE'S COURT—*Justice Austin.*

People vs. Manuel Dominguez: Misdemeanor. Set for January 27.

People vs. John Doe and Richard Roe: Disturbing the peace. Defendant gives true name, Walter White. Fined $15 or 15 days.

People vs. J. Rellihan: Assault with intent to murder. Set for January 28 at 2 p. m. Defendant held in $300 bail.

People vs. John Zeno: Battery. Continued until Tuesday, February 2.

SET FOR WEDNESDAY.

People vs. Manuel Dominguez.

People vs. C. Richardson.

TOWNSHIP COURT—*Justice Ranney.*

People vs. John Garrett: Vagrancy. Acquitted.

People vs. Jo. Arnold: Battery. Prosecuting witness failing to appear, defendant discharged.

People vs. Mrs. W. M. Mills: Disturbing the peace. Continued to Wednesday, February 3.

People vs. Mrs. W. M. Mills: Battery. Continued to Wednesday, February 3.

People vs. Charles Lyons: Petit larceny. Set for Friday, January 29 at 2 p. m. Bail, $50.

People vs. Geo. Clausen: Misdemeanor. Dismissed. Defendant guilty of many and piles of guilty entered. Fined $20 or twenty days.

SET FOR WEDNESDAY.

People vs. Mias.

People vs. Ah Hen.

People vs. A. May.

People vs. Diego Oliveras.

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At 10 o'clock, on the premises,

Consisting of the Stables and Carriage House, also the grounds, lot in use 100x150. Also the horses, consisting of eight head of the finest livery stock ever offered at auction in this county; being young, good drivers, fine roadsters, some very fast trotters, guaranteed to trade in two of three minutes.

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Eight sets of double and single harness, nearly new, all in excellent condition.

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jal7td JOHN C. BELL, Auctioneer.

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—OF—

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BY ORDER OF M. L. WICKS, ESQ.,

On Tuesday, February. 2. 1882,

AT THE VIENNA THEATER,

No. 144 South Spring Street.

AT TWO O'CLOCK.

We are instructed to sell the follows. All of which are in Los Angeles county; all selected choice section. It will be sold in 1, ¼ and whole sections, as parties may desire. This will be without a doubt the finest opportunity for obtaining cheap lands ever offered to the public in the state of California. Lands adapted to all purposes.

CREDIT SALE—Title guaranteed A 1. Terms easy.

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Section 11, township 6 N, range 13 W, S B M.

Section 27, township 7 N, range 13 W, S B M.

Section 8, township 7 N, range 14 W, S B M.

Section 20, township 7 N, range 14 W, S B M.

Section 27, township 7 N, range 14 W, S B M.

Section 37, township 7 N, range 14 W, S B M.

Section 21, township 8 N, range 13 W, S B M.

Section 29, township 8 N, range 13 W, S B M.

Full particulars may be had of M. L. WICKS, Esq., over Postoffice, or JOHN C BELL, Auctioneer, 126 Nadeau Block. ja14 1d

FINE DAIRY COWS.

I HAVE A SMALL BAND OF FINE LARGE graded Durham cows—all large milkers, and are now milking. All have been served by the prize premium Holstein bull which received the first premium at the last Fair. They are all very choice stock; all can be seen, and all parties' are learned of JOHN C. BELL, the auctioneer Nadeau Block. Take the elevator; ask for the office, room 126.

Auction Sale of Real Estate

—ON—

On FRIDAY, Jan. 29, at 11 a. m.

On the premises, No. 117 East Pico st., lot 100 150 feet, all fenced; good four-room cottage, hard finished, and front yard in lawn and flowers.

Sale positive and without reserve.

For particulars inquire of I. M. Pray, No. 16 Los Angeles st., or

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GREAT BARGAIN.

FOR 30 DAYS ONLY—BEAUTIFUL HOME on Downey ave.; new house of 5 large rooms, closets and bath; hard finish; 15-foot ceilings; heavily moulded woodwork; large sliding doors; water in house; nice fireplaces; fine well, windmill and tank; large lot, 12 large bearing orange trees, nice lawn, flowers and hedge; $2800. Apply on premises, 1213 Downey ave. ja7 1m

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Notice of Foreclosure Sale.

J. M. Griffith, W. H. Perry, W. G. Kerckhoff, John Dolbeer, and H. M. Stevenson, late directors of the Los Angeles & Rumsey Gold Lumber Company, a corporation which has been dissolved, and trustees of the stockholders of said Company, Plaintiffs, vs. Bernard Dunn and Bernard Dunn as administrator of the estate of Julia Dunn, deceased; and Richard Dryden and S. Stohrn, Defendants.

Sheriff's Sale.

Order of sale and decree of forfeiture and sale.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1886, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiffs obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against the defendants, Bernard Dunn, and Bernard Dunn, administrator of the estate of Julia Dunn, deceased, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1886, for the sum of $241.91 in United States gold coin; which said decree was, on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1886, recorded in judgment book 6 of said Court, at page 547, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number nineteen (19) in block number five (5), in Hancock's Survey of land known as the tract of the Pioneer Building Association of Los Angeles, on the easterly side of the Los Angeles river, reference being had to the field notes and map of survey of said tract made by L. Sensol, county surveyor, in May, A. D. 1875; which said map is recorded in book 1 of miscellaneous records, pages 70-71, records of Los Angeles county, California.

Public notice is hereby given that on

Saturday, the 30th Day of January, A. D. 1886,

at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, in front of the Courthouse door of the County of Los Angeles, on spring street, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc. to the highest and best bidder for cash in gold coin of the United States.

Dated this 7th day of January, 1886.

GEO. R. GARD,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By A. M. THORNTON, Under Sheriff.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

The Johnstown Bank, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Kenyon Cox, Eliza Adelaide Cox and Nathan Littauer, Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and the complaint filed in said county of Los Angeles, in the office of the clerk of said superior Court.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIfornia send greeting to Kenyon Cox, Eliza Adelaide Cox and Nathan Littauer, Defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days—or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court for the foreclosure of a mortgage described in the said complaint and executed by the said Kenyon Cox and Eliza Adelaide Cox on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1884, to secure the payment of three certain promissory notes made by Shults & Company to the plaintiff, on the same day, for $300 each, described in the complaint herein, and all of which have become and are due and payable with the interest thereon at six per cent. per annum from maturity, except that there was paid and indorsed on each of said notes the sum of $90, on May 16, 1885, and the sum of $480, on June 15, 1885; said payments aggregating the sum of $270,—that the premises contained by said mortgage may be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of the balance due on said notes, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent. per annum, and of $250 Attorney's fees for foreclosing said mortgage, and costs of suit; and also that the defendants and all persons claiming by, through or under them or either of them may be barred and foreclosed of all right, title, claim, lien, equity of redemption and interest in and to said mortgaged premises, and for other and further relief in the premises. Let the complaint for particulars.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Given under my hand and Seal of the Superior Court, of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, this 4th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six. CHAS. H. DUNSMOOR, Clerk.

By F. B. FANNING, Deputy.
BICKNELL and WHITE, Attorneys for Plaintiff. jc 2m

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Of the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of F. W. Baker, Sr., deceased.

A. E. Baker, administrator of the estate of F. W. Baker, Sr., deceased, having duly rendered and presented for settlement and filed in this Court his final account with the administration of the estate of said deceased, and on reading and filing the petition of said Baker, administrator, for said estate, setting forth that said estate is in a proper condition to be closed, and that a portion of the residue of said estate remains to be divided among the heirs of said deceased, or among the persons entitled, it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of F. W. Baker, Sr., deceased be and appear before the Superior Court of the City of Los Angeles and the courtroom of said Court in Los Angeles County, State of California, on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why an order of distribution should not be made of the residue of said estate among the heirs of said deceased, and why the whole of said estate remaining to be distributed should not be distributed to the widow of F. W. Baker, Sr., deceased, according to the prayer of the petition of the administrator and according to law; and that a time should be fixed by order appointed for the settlement of said final account, and that the clerk give notice thereof by causing notices to be posted in at least three public places in said county, at least ten days before said day of settlement.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for two successive weeks before the said 1st day of February, A. D. 1886, in the Los ANGELES DAILY TIMES, a newspaper printed and published in the said city, county and State.

Dated this 14th day of January, A. D. 1886.

A. BRUNSON,
Superior Judge of the Superior Court, County of Los Angeles, State of California. ja14 1d

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of T. A. Lemon, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of A. T. Lemon, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at his residence at Alosta, Los Angeles county, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

Dated at Los Angeles City, Jan. 8, 1886.

JAMES A. FISHER,
Executor of the last will and testament of T. A. Lemon, deceased. ja8 1m

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, under the firm name and style of Los Angeles Cracker Company, in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Karl T. Hanks retiring.

The business will be continued under the same name and management by L. Winter and H. H. Weber, who assume all debts and liabilities, and who alone are authorized to collect all accounts of the old co-partnership.

L. WINTER,
KARL T. HANKE,
HENRY WEBER.

Los Angeles, Dec. 31, 1885. jan8 1m

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Augustin F. A. Goudran, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Augustin F. A. Goudran, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of W. T. Williams, attorney-at-law, Nos. 8 and 7 Downey Block, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

GUADALUPE ELWELL,
Administrator of the estate of Augustin F. A. Goudran, deceased.
Dated at Los Angeles, Dec. 22, 1885. de28 1m

Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT LOS ANGELES CAL., December 29, 1885.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Los Angeles, Cal., on January 30,

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Dr. Townsend, dentist, 237 S. Spring st.

Dr. Urany, Dentist, Schumacher Block.

See notice of K. Verch in another column. Cheap fruit farm for sale.

John R. Meister, 48 N. Spring street, has just received the finest and most elegant assortment of Valentines in the city.

"Squire Cigars," Uncle Webster's, 30 N. Spring.

Regulate your watches by the fine tower clock at Goldman's, 52 North Spring street.

Look out for the *Mikado*, Booth and the Three Little Maids, at Armory Hall, February 8th.

W. G. Hughes, 10 Commercial street, is agent for the Marengo tract, adjoining the Raymond Hotel, at Pasadena, now being built. See card in another column.

Make money by attending Sheriff's sale at 10 o'clock to-day, at No. 1720 South Main street. Nadeau's wagons, grape and raisin boxes, etc., will be sold.

The W. C. T. U. will have a mothers' meeting to-morrow afternoon at the Presbyterian Church. All are invited.

Money to loan on long time. Lamb & Griffin, 19 West First street.

If you have money to loan call on Wilcox & Robbins, 34 N. Spring.

Dr. Williams, specialist in diseases of the head, throat and lungs.

R. S. Goldman, the watchmaker, has opened up shop again at his old stand, 52 North Spring street.

Iron Sulphur Springs, thirteen miles each, for health and pleasure is equal to any place in Southern California. Hot sulphur baths and the best of iron, sulphur and magnesia waters to drink.

If you want your watch repaired by a first-class workman, at reasonable prices, take it to Goldman the watchmaker, 52 North Spring street.

The coughing of horses on our streets is fast subsiding. Many of them have suffered but little. Many of our horsemen say that McCue's Condition Powders have afforded great relief wherever its use has been adopted. McCue's thirty years' experience among horses has proved a great blessing to the animal, as well as gratifying to the veteran horsebreeder.

BRIEFS.

The Orizaba sails south to-day, and north on Friday.

Two suits in the city yesterday. One in the country.

Council yesterday voted to pay $25 per month for a clerk in Justice Austin's court.

Fred C. Smith's little boy, a year and six days old, died yesterday. It was his second such loss.

Wallace Gutting was fined $15 yesterday. He is one of the trio who battered Harry Love in the Fountain saloon.

Justice Austin yesterday held J. Bellin in $100 bail for assault and battery. The examination is set for to-morrow at 2 p. m.

John Hall submitted to the Supervisors yesterday a plans for a jail, and the Clerk was directed to advertise for bids.

The Second-street cable railroad is now running four cars in a bunch of two, during the day, making trips every ten minutes. The cars also run till 11 at night, two hours later than heretofore.

Manuel Domingues will be overhauled in Justice Austin's court to-day for cruelty to animals. His horse broke its leg during the flood, and Domingues refused to feed the poor brute or allow it to be killed. Officer Fonck finally shot it.

There was a charming social by the Emerald Bank employés in the assistant club-rooms. An address was delivered by Mayor Spence, and J. C. Daly recited "Shamus O'Brien" admirable well. There was music and dancing, and a jolly time all around.

There are messages at the telegraph office, 17 North Main, for J. M. Wood, Mrs. H. M. Wheatley, John R. Clark, S. D. Johnson (colored), J. W. Earnest, Mrs. Mary Harrol, Rev. J. M. Harvey, J. S. Simpson, W. D. Miller, J. M. Hunter, J. A. Lawrence, Dr. E. A. Stanley, Joseph S. Roberson.

The A. U. W. will give a literary and musical entertainment in Opera Hall, Saturday evening, for the benefit of those members of the order who suffered by the late flood. A delightful evening is assured. Among those who will take part are Frank B. Fanning, Mrs. Fanning, Jas. Bloch, Tom Barnes, Mrs. Stansbury and Mr. Baskerville.

PERSONAL NEWS.

Hon. C. C. Davis leaves to-day for San Diego, returning on Friday.

John Isaac, proprietor of the San Bernardino Daily Times, was in town yesterday.

At the Grand Central Hotel: Emil Lagerlof, Riverside, Cal.; E. N. Applegate, Francisville, Ind.; B. F. Watrous, Redlands; Rev. Stephen Doe, Pomona; D. H. Frisbie, Mrs. O. F. Green and boy, Galesburg, Ill.; W. T. Burns, Galveston, Tex.; A. J. Franklin, Henry Eisel, San Francisco; D. F. Orman, Deming, N. M.; E. W. Culbertson, El Dorado, Nev.; J. B. Henderson, San Bernardino; Leroy Sybrandt, Chas. G. Sybrandt, Niagara, N. Y.; Geo. A. Clark, Duarte; Frank Macy, Boston.

BOARD OF TRADE.

Resolutions on the Signal Service —Against Transfer.

WHEREAS, The Los Angeles Produce Exchange, at a meeting of its directors held on the 5th day of January, 1886, had before it the preamble and resolutions of the Maritime Association of the Port of New York, in regard to increased appropriations from Congress for the Signal Service Department, in order that its present efficiency and great utility may be increased, be more widely extended, and asking the support and endorsement of the same by this Exchange, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Los Angeles Produce Exchange, through its Board of Directors, strongly and cordially endorses the resolutions of the Maritime Association of the Port of New York in regard to the increase of appropriation for the benefit of the Signal Service Department, and believes that the best interests of the commerce and agriculture of the country will be subserved thereby.

Resolved, Further, that the welfare of the service requires that, in order to maintain its present high standard of work and thorough system of administration it should remain under the control of the War Department, and that any measure to remove it from that Department would impair its usefulness and would be unwise and inexpedient.

Resolved, That they Secretary notify the Maritime Association of the port of New York, and also Hon. H. H. Markham and Senators Leland Stanford and John P. Miller of the passage of these resolutions.

Contributions for Flood Sufferers.

Among the contributions heretofore made, which have not appeared in published lists, are the following. Many other charitable contributors who have not suffered their right hands to find out what was going on in their left hands, belong in the list also: Mrs. Dodsworth sent a supply of meats, which was greatly needed. The employés of the Capital Mills sent thirty fifty-pound sacks of flour.

T. S. Palmer, East Los Angeles, $24.50—cash and orders for groceries contributed by Wm. M. Hughes, J. M. Bacon, R. Pollard, Marshall & Burnes & Co., J. M. Boal, J. C. Miller, George Vosburg, Clement & Gay, and J. Lemberger.

To-Day.

Remember that the great auction sale of lots of the Los Angeles Improvement Company will take place to-day, at 11 o'clock, on the grounds. Take the cable cars at corner of Spring and Second streets. Free ride. Elegant lunch served.

COUNCIL.

Chief Engineer and Fire Marshal Elected.

GOOD POLICE WORK REMEMBERED.

Beaudry Makes a Showing—River Improvement—Horse-Car Franchises Discussed—Routine Work, Etc.

Council met as a Committee of the Whole at 1:50 p. m. yesterday, to consider the petition of the S. P. R. R. Co. for return of $1197 double assessment of taxes. Major Geo. S. Patton appeared for the railroad and stated the case.

Council went into regular session at 2:15. President Sinsabaugh in the chair, and the full Council present.

Minutes read and approved.

FOR FAITHFUL EXTRA SERVICE.

Board of Police Commissioners presented the following recommendation:

"In consideration of the extra duties and arduous services rendered so nobly and effectively by the police force of this city during the late flood, and the great saving of life and property by them, we, the Board of Police Commissioners, respectfully urge upon your honorable body to vote an additional sum of $5 to be added to the salary of each police officer of the regular force for the month of January, not as a reward, but as a just remuneration for faithful extra services.

Respectfully, E. F. SPENCE,
J. W. DAVIS,
H. SINSABAUGH.

"Chief Davis declines to accept any extra compensation for himself." Committee on Finance.

Board of Fire Commissioners announcing its organization by election of Mayor Spence as President, and Walter S. Moore as Secretary; and requesting Council to elect a Chief Engineer of the Fire Department. Mr. Kuhrts moved to receive report and proceed to election of a Chief Engineer and Fire Marshal. Carried.

Mr. Kuhrts nominated George P. McLain. Mr. Breed nominated Walter S. Moore. Mr. Velsir thought Mr. Moore's residence was too far out. Mr. Holbrook nominated J. K. Skinner.

Messrs Frankenfield and Kuhrts were appointed tellers. The vote resulted as follows:

McLain 3, Moore 6, Skinner 6, No choice.

Second ballot resulted: McLain 1, Moore 8, Skinner 8, and Walter S. Moore was declared officially elected Chief Engineer and Fire Marshal.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS

Auditor on condition of funds; Zanjero with pay-roll of $12. Committee on Finance.

Zanjero reported ditches and dams demoralized: Main supply dam and a mile of ditch at the head gone, necessitating raising river higher up. Dam of Zanja Madre is all gone, and it will be expensive to replace it, as the river has cut very deep channel. Four feet of flume and ditch No. 2 is gone, and must be rebuilt. Reservoirs are all right. Committee on Zanjas.

Superintendent of Streets, with pay-roll, $237.75. Committee on Finance.

City Tax Collector, on collection of delinquent taxes. Same reference.

Board of Education: Receipts for December, $13,894.82; expenditures, $13,-747.48; balance, $147.34. Same reference.

City Treasurer, with reports of receipts and collections from Justice Austin during 1885, amounting to $1117.30. Same reference.

BEAUDRY'S EXHIBIT.

V. Beaudry presented (as required by ordinance of August 26) a list of all persons receiving water from his system during 1885—566 houses, the total amount paid being $17,660.74. He also presented a statement of the expenses during the year, $21,913.56; improvements, $10,-995.56; saying that he presented it, not because he thought the law applied to him, but just to accommodate Council. Referred to Special Committee, Messrs. Perry, Stearns, Jones, Willard and Kuhrts.

City Attorney presented draft of contract with Peter Keenan for flume on Pico street. (It had been sent back before because it contained no anti Chinese clause. This omission was not noticed until Assistant City Attorney put it in after the reading.) Time of completion March 1st. Adopted.

City Attorney presented order empowering Chief Engineer to barricade streets at fires; and providing as to right of way and care of fire apparatus. Rules suspended and ordinance passed.

Also ordinance to regulate keeping of cows and dogs in Kimball tract, and to keep a cow or hog in city within 100 feet of any other dwelling; or three or more dogs within any one block in city. Suspended and ordinance passed.

Postponed one week on Mr. Bascalino's motion. On Mr. Frankenfield's motion Mr. Bascalino was excused.

City Surveyor presented specifications for flume on Zanja 8—R. On Mr. Kuhrt's motion, referred to Committee on Zanjas.

EXPRESSIONS OF GRATITUDE.

William H. Workman, Major George H. Bonebrake, County Recorder F. A. Gibson and Mrs. J. Wicks, the special committee appointed by the Board of Trade, appeared and were heard, by vote. Mr. Workman urged the necessity of river improvements. Major Bonebrake stated that the Board of Trade had appointed a committee to wait upon Governor Stoneman, and send the State Engineer down here to devise plans of protection. A citizens' committee is to be appointed, and it is desired to have a special committee of Council appointed, that the three may confer together. Mrs. Wicks also spoke. Mr. Bicknell moved to appoint a committee. Mr. Kuhrts amended to refer to Board of Public Works and City Attorney. Carried.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Recommended:

First—That petition of W. W. Stilson and others for leave to grade block 64. So ordered.

Second—To survey Fort, Sand and other streets with view to changing grade. So ordered.

Third—To grant petition of Emily Lasaugue for leave to grade. Granted.

Fourth—To accept deed of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and to declare extension of William street a public street. So ordered.

Fifth—That grade of Temple street, from Centennial avenue to Texas street, be established as by present notice of intention; and that, as property owners will not accept proper grade between Bunker Hill and Centennial avenues, no grade be proposed, and cable road be permitted to lay its track near present grade. So ordered.

Sixth—Crossings on Main street at Laurel; Pico street at Olive; High street at Upper Main; Teuth at Olive. So ordered.

Mr. Perry moved for one near street car stable, Boyle Heights. So ordered.

Mr. Bicknell moved for grades on Aliso and Center streets. Street Superintended said if the lots were graded there would be no need of ditches. Referred to Board of Public Works.

THE MAIN STREET R. R.

Seventh—To grant franchise of Main street railroad from Washington street to Jefferson and Jefferson to Figueroa, to be built within one year; franchise to extend to September 24, 2034. To grant permission to lay another track on Main from First to Washington, east of present track and five feet away; space between to be paved with granite blocks or asphalt. If road is changed to cable or electric, tracks to be placed at equal distances from center of street.

Mr. Frankenfield moved to strike out the double track part. He was much opposed to double tracks, thought one track enough for any street, and that the driving public has some rights which the corporations are bound to respect. Mr. Velsir thought T-rails should be prohibited, as they are fruitful of damage to vehicles. Mr. Jones said it was a great inconvenience to be unable to hitch your buggy in front of your house. Mr. Ferry moved to refer the whole matter to Councilmen of the Third and Fifth Wards. On Mr. Holbrook's amendment, referred to Committee of Whole to meet at 1 p. m. next Tuesday.

Eighth—To adopt and publish notice of intention to establish grade of Virgin street. So ordered.

OTHER COMMITTEES.

Committee on Finance recommended: First—To file certain reports of city officers. So ordered.

Second—That Clerk employ F. W. Tyler to assist in sale of city lots at ½ of 1 per cent. on actual sales. So ordered.

Third—To grant petition of J. W. Haverstick for return of double assessment. So ordered.

Fourth—That Treasurer transfer $2000 from the New Water Fund to the Cash Fund. So ordered.

Fifth—To draw warrants for the payrolls and numerous bills. So ordered.

Superintendent of Streets presented letter from Mr. Duffy with reference to proposed crossing at Spring and Temple. Mr. Holbrook moved to try Mr. Duffy's composition crossing there, not to be paid for unless satisfactory. There has been a walk of this material by the United States Hotel for about three years, and it stands well. Mr. Kuhrts amended to refer to Board of Public Works, with power to act. Carried. Mr. Frankenfield voting no.

Committee of the Whole recommended to refer to special committee of three the petition of the S. P. R. R. for return of $1197 double assessment taxes. Carried. Committee, Messrs. Ferry, Jones and Kuhrts.

Committee on Sewers with payroll of $36.25. Committee on Finance.

Committee on Construction of Bridges asked further time on proposition for joint street car and city bridge to East Los Angeles. Granted. Mr. Velsir reported the work done by the committee.

Committee on Supplies reported a list of supplies needed in City Assessor's office. Referred to Committees on Supplies and Finance.

Recommended Clerk advertise for proposals for city lumber for one year. So ordered.

Committee on Sewers recommended:

First—To grant petition of H. Cohn for sewer on Mitchell street. So ordered.

Second—That surveyor see if sewer connection can be made by W. H. Mace on same street. So ordered.

Third—To refer petition of B. O. Taylor and others for sewer in block 5, Orchard tract, to Surveyor for estimates. So ordered.

Fourth—Same as to petition of C. H. Dunsmoor and others for sewer near Wall and Fifth streets. So ordered.

Fifth—To refer to Surveyor petition of L. Mesmer for brick sewer, 4x4, on Second from Hill to Main. So ordered.

Mr. Velsir wished the Committee on Bridges authorized to go ahead and temporarily repair approaches to First, and Aliso-street bridges.

Mr. Kuhrts moved that bids be advertised for three weeks for an extra 100-foot span to the First-street bridge, and one for the Aliso-street bridge. Carried.

Mr. Kuhrts moved Committee on Bridges get plans and specifications for bridge across river at Downey avenue. Carried.

Mr. Frankenfield moved to add specifications for bridge from Buena Vista street to Hoff, high enough for a locomotive to pass under. Carried.

Mr. Stearns moved same for bridge at Chavez street. Carried.

Minority report of special committee on franchise of Central Railroad (signed by A. Brent) recommended to refer to Committee of Whole. So ordered for 1 p. m. next Tuesday.

Special committee on Justice Austin's petition for clerk recommended to grant at $25 per month, commencing January 1st. So ordered.

Copy of Board of Trade's petition to Congress was filed.

PETITIONS.

Chief Police for $100 for secret service fund; a regular account of its expenditure to be kept. Referred to Police Commissioners.

A. Eldred and four others for establishment of grade of extension of Fourth street between Hope and Charity. Board of Public Works.

Six for rebate of taxes. Committee on Finance.

J. M. Batcheler to assist in sale of city lot: at 1 per cent. commission. Filed.

L. J. Thompson and seventy-seven others for electric light mast corner Hill and Pine streets. Committee on Gas.

S. A. Widney with suggestions as to river improvements. Board of Public Works.

E. H. Owens and forty-seven others protesting against granting franchise to Los Angeles and Santa Monica railroad to lay track along Pine street. Same reference.

Frank Doullard and nineteen others for crosswalk at Upper Main and Alameda. Same reference.

M. Farnsworth and seven others for leave to grade on Hope from Sixth to Seventh. Same reference.

El Hammond and five others for crosswalk on Temple street at Bunker Hill avenue. Same reference.

P. H. Lemmert and sixteen others protesting against franchise to Los Angeles and Santa Monica railroad on Rowland street. Same reference.

J. A. Kelly and fifty-three others against same along Pine street. Same reference.

Alfred Moore, to assist in sale city lots at one-fifth of 1 per cent. commission. Filed.

L. Mesmer and six others for relief from surface water on Fort street. Board of Public Works.

W. Thorpe, for leave to cover zanja in his lot on San Pedro street. Board of Health.

O. T. Barker and 25 others, recommending Richard Thomas as Park Keeper. Committee on Parks.

W. W. Rose, for abatement of stagnant pool at Hope and Ninth. Board of Public Works.

W. K. Baker and 19 others on east side, between S. G. V. R. R. and S. P. R. R. bridges, for protection. Same reference.

Chas. Dunkerly and others, for sidewalk at Seventh and Hill. Same reference.

Judge W. A. Cheney, recommending Richard Thomas for position of Park Keeper. Committee on Parks.

J. Perrow asking that, as one of his horses broke its leg in a caved sewer while he was rescuing families from the flood, so that he had to kill the animal, the loss ($100) be made good. Committee on Finance.

B. Butterfield and five others, for grade of Boyd street. Board of Public Works.

T. F. Miller and two others, for crosswalk corner Washington and San Pedro. Same reference.

R. C. Glover and nine others for crosswalk at Fort and Franklin. Same reference.

V. Beaudry, a 15-page document denying right of city to fix water rates, but desiring to avoid litigation. He stated the difficulties and defects in the present system. Special committee already appointed.

E. P. Gillette and M. D. Crawford to have grade of Temple street cable road lowered. Board Public Works.

D. J. Thomas, at Ferry, for immediate grading in front of city property on Belisyus avenue. Same reference.

G. B. Griffith and others for repairs on streets, East Los Angeles. Same reference.

W. A. Lockwood and others for plank and pile protection from river. Same reference.

S. C. Hubbell and others for franchise of Central street railroad on Seventh and Alvarado streets. Committee of the Whole.

Peter Keenan for 30 days more time on Alameda street flume. Granted.

G. D. Anderson and others for grade on Clarity street. Board of Public Works.

John E. Jackson, George C. Knox and George Hansen, ex-city surveyors; Fred Eaton, City Surveyor; Jacob Gruhl, engineer, and E. T. Wright, County Surveyor, recommended Buena Vista and Hoff streets as proper termini for a most convenient bridge across the river.

W. D. Gould and others protesting against proposed change of grade on Temple street from Bunker Hill avenue to Pearl, etc. Same reference.

D. Bridenstein and four others for leave to grade on Hope street. Same reference.

Kwong Chung Wo for leave to lay crosswalk at 128 Upper Main street. Granted.

STRAGGLING BUSINESS.

Mr. Breed announced that Council, Board of Trade and citizens' committee will meet in Council chamber at 2 o'clock to-day, to discuss opening of Los Angeles street. He asked that the City Attorney push the matter of opening Los Angeles street. So ordered.

City Surveyor was instructed to set corner stakes to leased land near the hospital. So ordered.

Mr. Jones wished to know what had become of the electric street railroad franchise granted Colonel C. H. Howland.

Clerk Robinson stated that it is still in the Mayor's hands, and the time on it expires to-day.

Mr. Stearns reported for the special committee on City Tax Collector, giving figures to show what fat fees that official is alleged to have been receiving and keeping. Unless immediate action be taken, some of this money can never be recovered by the city, as it will be barred by the statute of limitations. He moved that the special committee be continued with the City Attorney, and have power to act. Carried, Mr. Kuhrts voting no.

Mr. Stearns also called attention to the fact that the Mayor's clerk is receiving $75 per month from the city for doing very little work. He didn't believe the work amounted to three hours per day. The salary had been raised from $25 to $40, and then during the few days of the liquor cases, to $75. He moved to cut it down to $40. On Mr. Jones's motion, referred to Committee on Finance, Mr. Stearns voting no.

On Mr. Breed's motion, City Attorney was instructed to draft an ordinance forbidding the erection of any river bridge with spans of less than 100 feet. On Mr. Kuhrts's motion the Clerk was instructed to notify owners of present bridges to expand the spans to 100 feet.

On Mr. Willard's motion, property-owners on Seventh, between Spring and Main streets, were notified to fix their sidewalks.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

Mr. Holbrook said he was tired of having the muddy streets flung in his face. Council is powerless unless the property-owners consent to pave. Suggested a committee to wait on the citizens, and see how many are willing to pave.

Mr. Willard proposed to adopt some kind of pavement, and put down some of it as an experiment.

Mr. Goss suggested the city should pave in front of its property.

Mr. Kuhrts thought two-thirds of the property-owners ready to pave. Get the citizens together and confer with them.

Mr. Jones thought it best to learn first what is the best system of pavements. The occasion was important enough for the selection of a board of engineers.

Mr. Breed said 600 visitors had left the city in disgust in four or five days. Council should appoint a committee to confer with citizens.

Owing to the lateness of the hour, no action was taken. Adjourned at 5:50.

To-Day.

Remember that the great auction sale of lots of the Los Angeles Improvement Company will take place to-day, at 11 o'clock, on the grounds. Take the cable cars at corner of Spring and Second streets. Free ride. Elegant lunch served.

$1000.00.

Genuine Diamonds Found in Tea and Coffee.

The Merchants' Tea Company of San Francisco have opened a BRANCH STORE AT NO. 3 SOUTH MAIN STREET, opposite the Opera House. Their teas and coffees are packed in cans. Tea can and contents weigh about 1¼ lbs. Coffee can and contents weigh about 3 lbs. Every can contains a souvenir, such as solid gold, silver and nickel watches; also genuine diamond, ruby and sapphire jewelry, solid gold settings, and other jewelry. This Company have adopted this method to advertise their choice goods, but after twenty days they will be sold wholly on their merits at the same price, same quality and quantity, but without the souvenir. The following is a partial list of the names of the fortunate purchasers: F. C. Robinski, 21 W. First st., photographer, solid gold case American full-jeweled watch; E. H. Boyd, farmer, Los Nietos, diamond stud; C. E. Hamlin, with J. M. S. Baker & Co., diamond stud; M. N. Heyman & Company, diamond cuff button; C. W. Earl, 78 Water st., gold ring; Mrs E. T. McGinnis, 457 Main st., diamond collar button; E. Copinais, 516 East Los Angeles st., gold ring; Mrs. C. P. McCardy, Long Beach, gold ring; Miss Eva Herrington, 67 East Los Angeles st., gold ring; Mrs. J. C. Cook, 607 Downey ave., diamond collar button; Wong Chung, Chinese interpreter in the courts of Los Angeles, stemwinding, stem-setting watch; C. H. Clarke, wholesale harness maker, 44 N. Main st., stem-winding, stem-setting watch; F. W. Reeve, Washington st., diamond ring; Mrs. Cook, 116 Hill st., gents' gold watch; Mrs. Griesbach, 521 Buena Vista st., gold band ring; H. G. Wyatt, manager and proprietor of Wyatt Minstrels, $50 in gold coin; Wm. Johnson, traveling salesman, Chicago, $50 in gold; Mrs. Kay, 25 silver dollars; Mrs. J. Wild, 236 Olive st., diamond collar button; Joseph Curtis, real estate, 435½ S. Spring st., diamond ring; Mrs. Gentile, 1 gents' diamond ring; E. F. Jentson, furniture dealer, 261 Main st., diamond ring; Mrs. M. Dusen, 1 Fort st., diamond ring; S. B. Webster, 5 Very place business suits, all-wool, $14 to $15. French diagonal frock suits $18 to $24.

Splendid 4-button cut-away, latest style, for $22, $24 and $26.

At E. Adam's Clothing House, 15 S. Spring street.

Phillips Excursion.

Phillips & Co.'s postponed excursion leaves on Southern Express next Saturday, and will go through to Kansas City without change in one of the Texas Pacific Excursion Sleepers. Also over road from El Paso to Fort Worth, thence through the beautiful Indian Territory over the Missouri Pacific system.

The Madam excursion party left yesterday afternoon, over same route, having a similar car, fully equipped, and filled with a happy and apparently well-pleased lot of passengers. H. B. SMITH, Jr.

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BIRTHS.

STERN—Sunday morning, January 24, to Mrs. E. L. Stern, a son.

DEATHS.

OLLIVERIE—In Los Angeles, on Saturday, the 16th of January, 1886, Jose Olliverie, aged 39 years.

Dionicia de Olliverie, wife.
Jose A. Olliverie, son.
Miguel Majorga, Raoul Achin, Joseph Achin, Berasaco Achin, nephews.

SMITH—In this city, Tuesday, January 26, at 5:30 a. m., Fred, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, aged 1 year and 6 days.

Funeral will take place from residence, 144 E. First street, to-day, at 10 o'clock.

HERSAM — January 25, 1886, Mrs. S. H. Hersam, aged 67 years and 26 days.

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IN MEMORIAM.

Mr. Lewis was born in Almyra, Chemung county, N. Y., and came to California in 1862, and died in El Monte, and has resided there continuously until his death. He was a quiet, peaceful, law-abiding citizen, dealing justly with all; respected and honored by his neighbors and all who knew him. A farmer by occupation; a Republican in politics; a liberalist in religion, worshiping God in nature, untrammeled by creeds or dogmas, and passing onward in the full assurance of a continued and never ending life in the realms of the great hereafter; believing in a loving Father God, just in all his ways, and never to fail to his weak and helpless children; having an undying belief in the loving kindness of the Author of mankind, and this all of which will meet the just reward they earn while here, and the fullness of retributive justice. He leaned upon himself, and lived to die his own redeemer and ultimate saviour.

His funeral was conducted, in pursuance of his death-bed request, by his long-time neighbor and friend, Thomas A. Garey, of Los Angeles. The musical exercises were under the leadership of Professor Carr; the choir composed of young ladies and gentlemen. The pall bearers were his old friends B. S. Bryant, Nicholas Smith, William Hadley, Peter Penfold, William Bell and William R. Dodson, all of El Monte. The funeral was numerously attended. He leaves a wife and five grown-up children to mourn his loss. Their consolation that but a few days at most will unite them never to be separated in the glorious haven of the summer world of the new-born children of earth.

New To-day.

CHEAP FRUIT FARM

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Ten acres, with house of 5 rooms, stable, etc.; three acres in oranges, apples, peaches, pears, pecans, figs and English walnuts in full bearing; four acres raisin grapes, four years old; one acre alfalfa patch and some grass, pepper and Lombard poplar trees; excellent facilities for irrigating. Will sell for $3000 on easy terms, or exchange for city property. Call on R. VERCH, room 80, Temple block.

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS of Los Angeles County, Cal.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office

Until 10 a. m., Feb. 18, 1886,

FOR THE ERECTION OF A

COUNTY JAIL BUILDING,

Exclusive of cell work, in accordance with plans and specifications on file at the office of John Hall, architect, at No. 7½ N. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

Said building to be completed within four (4) months from date of contract. A certified check of $2000, payable to the Clerk of this Board to accompany each.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County, Cal.

C. H. DUNSMOOR,
Clerk.

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